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House of Representatives
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The Honorable Tom Cole
Chair
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Advance Community Health Center Expansion Project in fiscal year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is Advance Community Health located at 1001 Rock Quarry Road, Raleigh, NC 27610. The funding would be used to build a new 40,000 square foot clinical and community center. This new center will provide healthcare services, career development opportunities, alongside health and wellness education. This project is expected to provide healthcare, education, and workforce services to over 18,000 individuals annually.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it addresses district priorities identified in the 2025 Wake County Community Health Needs Assessment. Wake County is the third fastest growing county in the nation, and the local health system faces unprecedented demand. The Advance Community Health Center Expansion project will ensure greater access to critical health care services for my constituents by meeting this demand.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized under the Public Health Service Act.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Very truly yours,



Deborah K. Ross
Member of Congress